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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office action mailed on June 7, 2006 for the above-identified patent application, please consider the following amendments and remarks.

Claim amendments begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.